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SECURITY INFORMATION

1953 BAREX PORT AND BEACH INFORMATION

1. Name of port Cape Newenham, Alaska
2. Name of vessel USNS PVT JOHN R. TOWLE
3. Navigational Information:
 - a. Approach - general description From SW kept less than $\frac{1}{2}$ mile from west most point e/s when @ seal rock as indicated USC and GS Chart 9103. Anchored 3.3 miles from seal rock 056° T.
 - (1) Channel Indicated on chart USC&GS 9103.
 - (2) Markings Seal Rock, tangent of finger point and of Castle rock.
 - (3) Minimum Depths $6\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms
 - (4) Obstructions, artificial and natural As indicated on Chart USB&GS 9103.
 - b. Tides and Currents Tide tables, West Coast N & S America. KEY Sta Matarani Peru (South America).
 - c. Pilotage - how obtained - rates None used.
 - d. Anchorage -- general description Good
 - e. Weather: Cold rainy weather.
Ice Data - Break-up and freeze-up dates No observations.
Consult USCP Alaska Part 2, 1947.
4. Port and Landing Facilities:
 - a. Tugs or barges - where available - rates None but LCU used.
 - b. Docking facilities - boat landings, etc. None.
 - (1) Storage Limited.

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Military.

(3) Transportation - local means available **Military trucks.**

c. Beaches:

If landing beaches are in area, give details on "Beach Intelligence" form and attach to this report.

5. Supplies:

a. Water **Limited amount from river.**

b. Fuel **None.**

c. Provisions **None.**

d. Construction Materials **None, logs on beach of nature small drift wood.**

6. Communications **Radio - military, ship-to-shore telephone.**

7. Aircraft Landing Sites -- or potential ones which could be prepared with little effort. Note lakes of sufficient size and depth for seaplane operation in summer and for ice strip in winter.

Gravel runway about 3000 feet long, suitable for small aircraft only.

Winter time landing is made on ice on the cove.

8. Population: White **Military only.** Eskimo **None**

9. Additional Remarks:

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